

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~strikethrough~~.

Please REPLACE the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 18, with the following paragraph:

As an example of the hybrid OSs, there is a hybrid OS which executes its GPOS and the processes under control of the GPOS as a task (called a GPOS task) of its RTOS. The GPOS and the processes under control of the GPOS are not necessarily performed in real-time. Accordingly, the GPOS task is executed with the lowest priority and the other real-time tasks are executed with a higher priority, ~~as described in "Real Time OS or Linux?" downloaded on August 8, 2003 from <http://www.qnx.co.jp/resource/QNX-Linux.pdf>.~~